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Banks.

NOTICE

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank, marked "On Hongkong Savings Bank Business" is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1889. 754

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$7,500,000
RESERVE FUND, \$4,300,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF P&O, \$7,500,000
PREVIOUS.

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HONGKONG.

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ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
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For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
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LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 363

Notice of Firm.

MITSU BISHI CO. LIVERY AGENCY.

NOTICE

ON and after 1st February, Mr. H. U. JEFFRIES will assume charge of this Agency.
H. J. H. TRIPP.
Hongkong, February 26, 1889. 367

Intimations.

MRS. H. WHARTON, shortly returning to England, would be glad to take charge of two or three children, to bring up, and educate with her own. Happy, comfortable, and refined home, with excellent educational advantages.
TERMS MODERATE.
Apply care of
MESSRS. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.
Hongkong, February 21, 1889. 337

A LADY (very good sailor) wishing to return to England in the Spring, would be glad to give her services, during the voyage, in return for her passage home.
Address, Miss EARLE,
c/o Office of THIS PAPER.
Hongkong, February 4, 1889. 218

Intimations.

CLERK OF WORKS.

WANTED A COMPETENT MAN, a Carpenter by Trade preferred; also a Foreman who can speak Chinese. Applications by Letter stating Wages, &c., to be sent to
MR. S. JOHN H. HANCOCK, G.E.,
3, Beaconsfield Arcade.
Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 399

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Second Ordinary Annual Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s Office, Pedder Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th March, 1889, at 12 o'clock (noon), to receive a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1888.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant, to WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of March next, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
ISAAC HUGHES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 10, 1889. 324

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 5, Queen's Road, Victoria, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of March, 1889, for the purpose of confirming the Resolution passed at the Meeting held this day, the 19th of February, 1889.

By Order,
JAS. B. COUGHTRY,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 10, 1889. 322

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1888.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to furnish the Underwritten with a List of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31st December, 1888, in order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 30th day of MARCH INSTANT, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents,
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.
Hongkong, March 1, 1889. 333

POLO CLUB RACES.

BY THE KIND PERMISSION OF THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB will be held on THE RACE COURSE, on

SATURDAY, the 9th March, 1889.

President.—His Excellency Sir G. W. DES VUEX, K.C.M.G.
Vice-Presidents.—His Excellency Vice-Admiral Sir N. SALMON, V.C., K.C.B.; His Excellency Lieut.-General W. G. CAMERON, C.B.

Committee.—T. H. WHITEHEAD, Esq.; J. ARMSTRONG, Esq.; Captain DES VUEX, A.D.C.; R. C. GOVE, Esq.; A. & S. Highlanders; Major TRUFF; Captain FLETCHER, R.A. (Hon. Secretary); Capt. COLLINGS.

1.—THE CAUSEWAY STAKES.—Half-a-Mile Handicap for all China Ponies. Entrance, \$5. 1st Prize, \$30; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, save Stake.

2.—THE POLO BALL RACE.—To hit a Ball round a post and back through a goal; post to be passed on the left. Entrance, \$2. 1st Prize, \$10.

3.—THE LADIES' NOMINATION "DISTANCE HANDICAP." 5 furlongs. For Members and Honorary Members of the Polo Club. Owners up. Weights to accommodate entrance. Entrance, \$2. A Prize to the Nomination.

4.—THE POLO CLUB STAKES.—One Mile. Catch Weights over 11st. 7lbs. Winner of an open race at the late Hongkong Meeting, 10lbs. extra; Subscription. Griffs. Winner and "placed" Ponies in open races, at the same, 10lbs. extra. Entrance, \$5. 1st Prize, \$30; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, save Stake.

5.—THE MAZE BALL.—To ride in and out of a line of posts; any rider knocking down a post to be disqualified. Entrance, \$2. 1st Prize, \$10.

6.—THE "CONSOLATION HANDICAP," forced Entry for all Ponies entered at the Meeting except in events (2) and (5). Beaten Ponies only to start. Once Round. Entrance, \$3. First Prize, \$30; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, save Stake.

CONDITIONS.

- 1.—Entries to Close on Monday, 4th March, 1889, to Captain FLETCHER, R.A., R.A. Mess, Camp Gardens.
- 2.—Decision of the Committee to be final on all points.
- 3.—Three Ponies to start for each event or no prize.
- 4.—Colours optional.
- 5.—Hirelings and jobbed ponies may run in (2) and (5); hired ponies, which have been regularly played at Polo may run in No. (3).
- 6.—The Committee have the right of making a reasonable deduction from the added money, should sufficient funds not be forthcoming.
- 7.—The Committee to handicap.

Admission to the Stand and Enclosure, 21. Members and honorary members of Polo Club and Ladies free. Tickets of Admission can be procured from Mr. Shingay Bethell and Captain Des Vaux, Government House, or from Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, and can also be purchased on the ground.

W. FLETCHER,
Capt. R.A.
Hongkong, February 25, 1889. 333

Business Notices.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

NEW BOOKS:
DIAN BARRINGTON.
SHIPS, SAILORS AND THE SEA.
GHOST STORIES.
EARTH.
ADULT LIGHT NOVELS.
ARM CHAIR SEATS.
OIRIG GRANGE.
MAJOR LAWRENCE.
THE POETS AT PLAY.
THE MOUNTAIN KINGDOM.
LORD CHAIRS' TRIP ROUND THE WORLD.
THE DUCHESS REPTER.
A TRIBUTE TO SATAN.
GREAT STONES GRANGE.
THE MAN HUNTER.
BY WOMAN'S WIT.
A LIFE'S MISTAKE.
BUTTER'S LITERARY TABLET.

MAKUP'S EMBROIDERED TABLES.
TODUNTER'S ALGEBRA.
MANUAL OF GARRISON'S ARTILLERY.
INFANTRY FIELD EXERCISES.
THE SAILOR'S POCKET BOOK.
NAMES' NAVIGATION.
CONSTANT NAVIGATION.
THE RIGGS' GUIDE.
THE SAILOR'S SEA BOOK.
SUKRY'S WORKS IN NAVIGATION.
COMMERCIAL CODE OF SIGNALS.
HANDY REFERENCE ALPHABET.
BAPTIST COMM. POCKET-ATLAS.
GARDNER'S HOUSEHOLD MEDICINE.
SPORTS AND ANECDOTES.
STONERIDGE IN THE DOG.
CHINESE PLANTS' HANDBOOK.
STANTON'S GUIDE.

THE BALANCE OF OUR CHRISTMAS ANNUALS WILL BE SOLD AT REDUCED PRICES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, February 23, 1889. 366

W. POWELL & Co.

EX STEAMSHIPS PEKIN AND PROMETHEUS.

FIRST DELIVERIES OF

SPRING AND SUMMER DRESS MATERIALS.
LADIES' WHITE STRAITS, HATS,
NEW FLOWERS AND FEATHERS,
UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS.
W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 23, 1889. 345

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

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OF WINTER COATINGS, TWEED AND DRESS SUITINGS, TROUSERS, AND UMBRELLAS.

A Very Stylish Selection.

OUR OUTFITTING STOCK IS ALSO COMPLETE IN SEASONABLE GOODS.

QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite HONGKONG HOTEL),
Hongkong, January 14, 1889. 69

Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE & HING KEE,
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1888. 1612

Intimations.

PRAYA EXTENSION.

THE MEETING of MARINE LOT OWNERS which was called for TOMORROW, the 2nd instant, is POSTPONED until WEDNESDAY, the 6th instant, at 2 30 p.m., in the CHAMBER of COMMERCE, City Hall.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 23rd March, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 9th to 23rd instant, both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, March 1, 1889. 358

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of 2% or \$2.50 per SHARE for the Six Months ended 31st December, 1888, declared at Yesterday's Ordinary Yearly Meeting will be Payable at the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY from this date the 26th instant, and SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply for DIVIDEND WARRANTS at the Company's Office, No. 14, Praya Central.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 26, 1889. 370

CHINA MERCHANTS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1888.

INTEREST Due and DRAWN BONDS of this LOAN will be Payable at the Offices of the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after the 1st day of March, 1889. LISTS of DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Underigned.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
Agents Leasing the Loan,
G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, February 25, 1889. 353

BOARD AND RESIDENCE. COMFORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN.

MODERATE TERMS.
MRS. KJELLER,
Proprietress.
Hongkong, January 26, 1889. 161

Business Notices.

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Stock-taking.

CLEARANCE SALE

STATIONERY

FANCY GOODS,

COMPRISING:—WRITING DESKS, ALBUMS, SOAP BOOKS, CHILDREN'S BOOKS, STUDIES FOR ARTISTS, FANCY SOAPS, NOTE PAPER, ENVELOPES, AND A FEW STANDARD WORKS AND NOVELS at SALE PRICES.

Now Proceeding.

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE LTD.
Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 406

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, the 5th March, 1889, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of the late Mr. FRANCISCO DE SA, No. 29, Elgin Street,—

THE WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising:—

ORIENTAL-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE.
ENGLISH MARBLE-TOP ROUND CENTRE TABLE, CHINESE GLASS, CONCHOL GLASS, OIL PAINTING, PICTURES, CHANDELIER, LAMPS, BRONZE FIGURES, AND ORNAMENTS, CARPET AND HENRIE ROUS.

EXTENSION DINING TABLE, ENGLISH-MADE MARIAGNY SIDEBOARD with GLASS BACK, WHISKY, CHAIRS and EAST CHAIRS, DINNER DESSERT and TEA SERVICES, and GLASSWARE.

DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD, WARDROBES, GLASS BOOK CASES, ENGLISH-MADE ENGLISH-MADE MARIAGNY SIDEBOARD with GLASS BACK and WARDROBES.

1 SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by COLLARD & COLLARD.
1 HAND HARMONIUM.
1 MUSICAL BOX.
&c., &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 410

Important Land Sale AT KOWLOON.

A VALUABLE BUILDING ESTATE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY AUCTION, BY

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer, on THURSDAY, the 7th March, at 2.30 p.m., comprising:—

EIGHTY-SEVEN LOTS, Known as Sections 1, 2, 3, &c., of INLAND Lots 570 & 571.

Y A U M A T E E.
With extensive frontages to ROBINSON ROAD and other PUBLIC ROADS, and EXCELLENT BUILDING SITES, already LEASED FOR BUILDING SHOPS, DWELLINGS or MANUFACTORIES.

Fuller Particulars, including Plans and Conditions of Sale, may be obtained on application to

HENRY J. HOLMES, Solicitor,
54, Queen's Road;
W. St. JOHN H. HANCOCK, G.E., F.R.S.A., 3, Beaconsfield Arcade; or to The Auctioneer, Duddell Street.

Hongkong, February 20, 1889. 328

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW ORLEANS, HIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Hector, Captain BALL, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 8th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, February 23, 1889. 336

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.
(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

The Steamship GUTHRIE, Captain CRAIG, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 10th March, at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, February 23, 1889. 380

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Co.'s Steamship Jean, Captain MILLIGAN, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 8th instant.

Passengers for EUROPE desiring to proceed OVERLAND, can, on application to the Underigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to Marseilles (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to PARIS or LONDON. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to London occupies about the same time.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 401

Shipping.

Steamers.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (ROMA & RUBINATO UNITED COMPANIES.)

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers, to ALLEN SUZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and GENOA; all MEDITERRANEAN, ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS, up to OLLAO, Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD.

The Co.'s Steamship Bormida will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 8th instant, at Noon.

At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in Victoria's Dock. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD.

For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 408

FOR SINGAPORE, HAYRE AND HAMBURG.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship Igipenia, Captain L. VOLTERRE, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 10th inst., at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 1, 1889. 397

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI and TRIESTE.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIC PORTS.)

The Co.'s Steamship Amphitrite, Capt. L. LEXNER, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 11th inst., at Noon.

For further Particulars, regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the Agent of the Company, Praya Central.

O. BAUCHER, Agent.
Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 402

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Kaiser-i-Hind will leave for the above places about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 403

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Kaiser-i-Hind will leave for the above places about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 404

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON AND LIVERPOOL, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Oryx, W. S. TAYLOR, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 16th inst.

For Freight, apply to ARNOLD, KARRER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, March 1, 1889. 395

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.
A BROADWOOD GRAND PIANO,
\$150, Cash.
Apply to
"B. C."
Office of this Paper.
Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 407

FOR SALE.

HER MAJESTY'S SCREW GUN-VESEL
MYRMIDON.
As she lies off Kowloon Naval Yard.
Length between Perpendiculars, 185ft. 6in.
Extreme Breadth, 28ft. 4in.
Displacement, 387 tons.
Built of Wood, Copper-plated and Sheathed with Copper. Makers, Humphreys, Original H.P., 700.
Engines, 2, 1000.
Boilers, 2, 1000.
Present Pressure, 20 lbs.
Sealed Tenders marked "Tender for Ship" will be received at H.M. Naval Yard, until 10 a.m. of MONDAY, the 5th April next.
The highest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.
A list of the stores to be sold with the Ship, and of Articles now on hand which will not be sold with her, may be seen on application at the Office of the Naval Storekeeper.
Terms of Sale.—Cash on acceptance of Tender, and the Ship with all faults and errors of description to be at Purchaser's risk from that time.
W. H. LOBB,
Naval Storekeeper.
H. M. Naval Yard,
Hongkong, 25th February, 1889. 364

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Fifty Practical Conversations in Cantonese Colloquial.
BY
J. DYER BALL.
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Other books by the same Author:
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"EAST SENTENCES IN THE CANTONESE," 2.00.
"EASY SENTENCES IN THE CANTONESE," 1.00.
"DIALOGUE WITH A VOCABULARY," 1.00.
"HOW TO WRITE THE CANTONESE," 0.75.
"HOW TO WRITE CHINESE," Part I., 2.00.
FOR SALE.—At Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, and Mr. W. W. BAKER'S.
Hongkong, February 20, 1889. 326

FOR SALE.

JULES MUM & Co's
CHAMPAGNE.
Quarts, . . . \$20 per Case of 1 doz.
Pints, . . . \$21 " " 2 doz.
Dubos Freres & Co's
BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES.
Baxter's Celebrated "Barley Brew"
WHISKY, . . . \$71 per Case of 1 doz.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

BAIL PROGRAMMES

FOR SALE.
"CHINA MAIL" OFFICE,
2, WYNDHAM STREET.

To Let.

TO LET.
N^o. 2, MORRISON HILL.
Entry 1st April.
Apply to G. O. ANDERSON,
13, Praya Central.
Hongkong, February 25, 1889. 363

To Let.

PEAK—"LA HACIENDA," formerly occupied by Sir George PHILLIPS.
Apply to
H. N. MODY,
Victoria Buildings.
Hongkong, December 12, 1888. 2096

To Let.

2ND FLOOR OF HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Possession from 1st April next.
Apply to
LAI HING & Co.,
No. 155, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, February 25, 1889. 357

To Let.

(With Early Possession.)
N^{os}. 1, 2 & 4, QUEEN'S GARDENS.
Apply to
G. O. ANDERSON,
13, Praya Central.
Hongkong, January 25, 1889. 147

To Let.

ROOMS in "COLLIER CHAMBERS."
Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, December 12, 1888. 664

To Let.

N^o. 3, WEST TERRACE.
Apply to
G. O. ANDERSON,
13, Praya Central.
Hongkong, January 29, 1889. 176

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay at Hongkong Harbour:
ADAM W. STEWART, American barque, Capt. A. D. FIELD.—Rosen & Co.
ARON, Norwegian barque, Capt. Christensen.—Chinese.
PATRICK, American ship, Capt. Th. D. BURMAN.—Futao & Co.

Intimations.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
PAYMENT OF 6th DIVIDEND.

A 6th DIVIDEND of 4% on all CLAIMS against the HONGKONG BRANCH of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery, will be paid at the Office of the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, on and after MONDAY, the 18th MARCH next.
Creditors are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator, admitting their Claims, in order that the Payment of the 6th Dividend may be endorsed thereon.

PAYMENT OF FINAL DIVIDEND IN ADVANCE UNDER DISCOUNT.

THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR by arrangement with THE ASSETS REALISATION CO., is prepared to pay in ADVANCE to CREDITORS willing to receive such Payment the FULL DISCOUNT OF 5% payable in FULL DISCOUNT OF 5% PER CENT. Creditors who are willing to accept Payment of the Final Dividend less discount at the time of their application to the Official Liquidator, will be entitled to receive the same on the 1st day of APRIL next, and the balance of the 5% discount on the 1st day of MAY next.

E. W. RUTTER,
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2, QUEEN'S ROAD,
Hongkong, February 6, 1889. 235

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RESOLUTION.
That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$500,000 legally current in the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$10 each. Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting, the Shares to be issued shall be offered to the Members in proportion to the existing Shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of intimation from the Member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered, such Shares shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion.

Dated the 26th day of February, 1889.
By Order of the Board,
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NEW PROGRAMME.

1.—Signor Rinaldo, Equilibrist.
2.—The Rink Clown.
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4.—Sarah and Tommy (with Song).
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